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- 1. GIVEN BELOW IS TEXT OF DELIVERY ORDER SIGNED BY THE THREE COMMISSIONERS IN APRIL, 1973, COVERING GOLD TURNED OVER TO THE NETHERLANDS. SIMILAR LETTER SENT TO THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK COVERING ABOUT FIFTY-THREE THOUSAND ADDITIONAL OUNCES.
- 2. BEGIN TEXT: THE GOVERNOR, THE BANK OF ENGLAND, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON. SIR, THE TRIPARTITE COMMISSION FOR THE RESTITUTION OF MONETARY GOLD HEREBY AUTHORIZES AND REQUESTS YOU TO HOLD AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE NERDERLANDSCHE BANK:

SEVENTY EIGHT THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED AND TWO.522
(78,102.522) FINE TROY OUNCES
OF MONETARY GOLD, MADE UP AS FOLLOWS: NOT MORE THAN
BUT AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE TO
FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTEEN.387
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(4,416.387) FINE TROY OUNCES

OF MONETARY GOLD IN BARS AND THE BALANCE IN COINS, THESE AMOUNTS TO BE TAKEN FROM THE RESPECTIVE BALANCES OF BAR GOLD AND SUNDRY GOLD COINS WHICH THE BANK OF ENGLAND ARE HOLDING IN THE NAME OF HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY ON ACCOUNT OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND FRANCE. WE HAVE THE HONOUR TO BE, SIR, (SIGNED) COMMISSIONER OF THE USG, (SIGNED) COMMISSIONER OF THE UK, (SIGNED) COMMISSIONER OF GOF. END TEXT.FIRESTONE

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